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June 24, 2013



Darrell Nitschke
Executive Secretary
Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard Ave – Dept 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Enclosed are the Local Rate Floor Certifications that were filed with USAC and the FCC and supporting document to certify that Absaraka Cooperative Telephone Company (Study Area Code 381601) is projected to receive High Cost Support in 2013 and has no monthly residential rates less than \$14.00. This is being filed to comply with the FCC's universal service support rule 54.313(h)(1).

Please contact the undersigned if you need further information.

Sincerely,

Ann Faught
General Manager
701 896-3404

Enclosures

Rate Floor Template

Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the Data Reported for the Rate Floor Data

I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the actual rate floor data reported ; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form is accurate.

Name of Reporting Carrier Absaraka Cooperative Telephone Co., Inc.

Signature of authorized officer

Ann Faught

Date 5/31/2013

Printed name of authorized officer

Ann Faught

Title or position of authorized officer

General Manager

Telephone number of authorized officer: (701) 896-3404, ext.

Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier

381601

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7/1/2013



I certify that our company receives or is projected to receive High Cost Loop Support or High Cost Model Support in 2013 and has no monthly residential rates (plus charges as defined) less than \$14.

Rate Floor Data

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF AN AGENT IS FILING RATE FLOOR DATA ON THE CARRIER'S BEHALF:

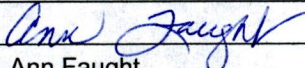
Certification of Officer to Authorize an Agent to File Rate Floor Data on Behalf of Reporting Carrier

I certify that National Exchange Carrier Association (NECA) is authorized to submit the information reported on behalf of the reporting carrier. I also certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the actual rate floor data provided to the authorized agent; and, to the best of my knowledge, the actual rate floor data provided to the authorized agent is accurate.

I certify that I am authorized to submit the information reported on this form on behalf of the reporting carrier; that I have provided the information reported herein based on data provided by the reporting carrier; and to the best of my knowledge the information reported herein is accurate.

Name of Authorized Agent National Exchange Carrier Association (NECA)

Name of Reporting Carrier Absaraka Cooperative Telephone Co., Inc.

Signature of authorized officer  Date 5/31/2013

Printed name of authorized officer Ann Faught

Title or position of authorized officer General Manager

Telephone number of authorized officer: (701) 896-3404 ext.

Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier	<u>381601</u>	Filing Due Date for this form (mm/dd/yyyy)	<u>7/1/2013</u>
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RATE FLOOR DATA COLLECTION - OMB Control Number 3060-0986

Block 1 - Contact Information

ROW #	DATA ELEMENT	FORMAT OF REQUESTED DATA	RESPONSE
1	Carrier Study Area Code	6 numeric digits	381601
2	Carrier Study Area Name	alpha characters	ABSARAKA COOP TELEPHONE CO.
3	Service Provider Identification Number	9 numeric digits	143002200
4	Residential Local Service Charge Effective Date	mm/dd/yy	06/01/13
5	Contact Name	alpha characters	Faught, Ann L
6	Contact Telephone Number (include area code)	9 numeric digits	701-896-3404
7	Sheet Number	numeric digit(s)	
8	Total Number of Sheets	numeric digit(s)	

Block 2- Residential Local Service Rates, Fees, and Line Counts

	Column 1 Residential Local Service Charge	Column 2 State Subscriber Line Charge	Column 3 State Universal Service Fee	Column 4 Mandatory Extended Area Service Charge	Column 5 Loops
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